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## Interview Summary

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**Examiner**

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Brian P. Werner (SPE).

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(2) Tim Meade (Reg. 554449).

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Date of Interview: 25 January 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.  
If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

Claim(s) discussed: NA.

Identification of prior art discussed: NA.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: SPE agreed with applicant's representative that the Office Action mailed on November 11, 2007 was defective (reference page 5, the "Ito" reference not identified by examiner in a heading or a form 892). A new Office Action would be mailed, restarting the period for reply (MPEP 710.06). Applicant need not take further action until receipt of the replacement Office Action.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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BRIAN WERNER  
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